THE BARONY OF DRAGONSSPINE

MEIASSIS DRAGON

A note from the Chronicler:

Greetings and salutations!

Ah, summer. That wonderful season where there aren't enough weekends to get everything done, tents get packed home wet, and where's the water buffalo?! It sure is nice to have a full event schedule again, no? And camping! Do you throw everything together and go last minute, or are you a meticulous planner? Following are some of the best camping tips I've encountered in my decade or so of playing.

Wet tents. These are more annoying than wet dog, especially if you have a fancy canvas tent. Did you know to pack a can of Lysol spray? Liberally applying the spray to the wet canvas as you fold the tent prevents mold, giving extra travel time before needing to set it back up to dry. Don't have a yard to set it up? Try draping it over sturdy items, such as ladders, camping chairs, and coolers.

Have a Packing List in digital format that can be accessed on any device. This can be edited real time to add items as you think of them and "crossed out" as you pack them. Better, each campaign you already have a list you can re-use that grows with time and experience, turning into a personalized Master List. Don't need an item for an event? Cross it off and ignore until next time. And don't be shy to add extra lines for items. "Tent Poles" don't always magically follow the tent…

Always. Bring. Toilet. Paper.

Side note: Your Chronicler humbly seeks someone willing to help with newsletters. It can be done long distance and fits into your schedule.

And alas, I fear my Ethereal-Mail is still possessed and I cannot access it. Please reach out to any of the Baronial officers if you need help in reaching me!

Tallyho!

Lady Guenguiu myrgh Guentigirn

A letter from the Seneschal:

Will appear soon. Be sure to check the Book-of-Faces for immediate updates.

Regular Local Gatherings

Fighter Practice

Sunday
Winter: Archery School of the Rockies
5:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Summer: Nancy Lewis Park
6:00 PM to dark

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5:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Summer: Sir Ton's Field (Black Forest)
1:00 PM to 4:00 PM
Weather Dependent

Business Meeting

Second Sunday of the Month 5:15 PM
(Fighter Practice site)

A&S/Largesse Workshops

TBA

All meetings in private homes may be cancelled or changed at the host's discretion. Please keep an eye on the Facebook page for the most up to date information.

Adresses

Archery School of the Rockies: 2110 Busch Ave, 80904
Nancy Lewis Park: Templeton Gap Rd, South of E Fillmore St, 80907 (Behind the Playground)
Sir Ton's Field: At the corner of McFerran Rd & Hungate Rd, Black Forest, 80908 (See Pinned Map on Baronial Website)

Baronial Progress

events on TRM progress * events on TE Dragonsspine progress

(TRM and TE attendance subject to change)

July 2023		
28-2	Outlands	Battlemoor #
14-16	Plattefordham	Here There Be Dragons
22-23	Caer Galen	Outlands Coronation #
28-13	Aethelmearc	Pennsic War #
29	Draca Mor	The Mor You Know
August 2023		
3-6	Nahrun Kabirun	Clan Wars
19	al-Barran	Sworded Affaire
September 2023		
1-4	Fontaine	Warders of Western Gate
9 or 23	TBA	North A&S/ Dragonsspine Champion
1-15	Unser Hafen	Unser Hafen Champions
1-29	Aarquelle	Harvest Fest
October 2023		
14-15	TBA	Crown Tourney
20-22	Nahrun Kabirun	Siege of the City
1-20	Caer Galen	Danse Macabre
28	Unser Hafen	Newcomers

Hey Young Dragons!

If you had a crown, what would it look like? 1) Cut two strips of paper, then tape the ends together to fit around your head. 2) Draw your crown below! Fill the whole page if you want. Like smaller and simple elegance better? It's your crown! Draw it how you like. 3) Cut out your crown and tape it to the ring you made in step 1. Viola!

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- Don Robert Hunteman

Head of Retinue

- Lady Viola de Luca

Ladies in Waiting

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Guard

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Champions

- Warlord:
- Ranger:
- Defender: Don Erik Armgier
- Shield of Chivalry:
- Arts & Science:
- Bards:
- Equestrian:

Largesse Coordinator

- Madame Adelaisa Bernois

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The Outlands includes New Mexico, Colorado and parts of Texas and Wyoming.

Dragonsspine includes El Paso County, Colorado—centered on Colorado Springs, CO.

Wherever you are, we're a friendly group of people, so why not visit us all?

We're on the Web at:

www.dragonsspine.outlands.org

We're also on Facebook as

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